

# FOOD PURCHASE REPORT

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PURCHASE AND OFFER TO BUY: CHICKEN AND CHICKEN PRODUCTS

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) today purchased 7,963,000 pounds of chicken and chicken products at a cost of approximately \$4,384,000 for school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Details of today's purchase follow:

Product	Pounds	Awarded Prices Inv. No. 9	No. of Bids Accepted
cut-up chicken	1,600,000	\$0.5287-\$0.5724	4 of 4
batter/breaded chicken	819,000	\$1.3200-\$1.3547	3 of 3
chilled bulk pack (small)	720,000	\$0.4175-\$0.4650	2 of 5
chilled bulk pack (large)	4,752,000	\$0.4275-\$0.4438	4 of 4
chilled bulk pack (thighs)	72,000	\$0.2175	1 of 2

Total purchases of chicken and chicken products since the program was announced on May 13, 2002, follow:

Product	Cumulative Pounds	Cumulative Dollars
cut-up chicken	8,040,000	\$ 4,617,000
batter/breaded chicken	3,627,000	\$ 4,846,000
chilled bulk pack (small)	5,796,000	\$ 2,593,000
chilled bulk pack (large)	40,608,000	\$18,164,000
chilled bulk pack (thighs)	360,000	\$ 91,000
chilled bulk pack (drumsticks)	72,000	\$ 17,000

Next offers under Announcement PY-259 are due by 12 noon, Central Time, on the following date:

Inv. Number	Product Type	Offer Date	Acceptance Not Later Than Date	Delivery Period
10	cut-up chicken, batter/breaded chicken, chilled bulk (small and large)	Oct. 15 **Tuesday**	Oct. 18	Nov. 16-30

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Inquiries may be made by telephoning (202) 720-7693 or addressing the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, D.C. 20250. An electronic version of this Food Purchase Report can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

The awards for chicken and chicken products made today under Announcement PY-259, Invitation 9, to be delivered from Nov. 1 to Nov. 15, follow:

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY259  
COMM GROUP : CHICKEN, FROZEN  
INVITATION : 009  
COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, CUT-UP, FROZEN  
PACK SIZE : 40 LB CONTAINER

CONTRACTOR NAME: CONAGRA POULTRY COMPANY  
PLANT ADDRESS : ENTERPRISE AL

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
012	ALEXANDER CITY AL	80,000	\$ 0.5410
013	BIRMINGHAM AL	80,000	\$ 0.5410

TOTAL AWARDED: 160,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: GOLD KIST POULTRY CO.  
PLANT ADDRESS : ATHENS GA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
003	NEWARK NJ	40,000	\$ 0.5349
004	AUBURN NY	40,000	\$ 0.5374
006	MILTON NY	40,000	\$ 0.5374
007	ALTOONA PA	40,000	\$ 0.5312
008	JOHNSON CITY TN	20,400	\$ 0.5424
	DANVILLE VA	19,600	\$ 0.5424
009	MADISON HEIGHTS VA	80,000	\$ 0.5287
010	DANVILLE VA	16,000	\$ 0.5287
	SUFFOLK VA	24,000	\$ 0.5287
011	ASHLAND VA	16,400	\$ 0.5287
	SUFFOLK VA	23,600	\$ 0.5287
016	DOUGLAS GA	40,000	\$ 0.5378

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017	EAST BERNSTADT KY	20,000	\$ 0.5399
	FAIRFIELD OH	20,000	\$ 0.5399
018	LEXINGTON SC	40,000	\$ 0.5349
020	HARAHAN LA	80,000	\$ 0.5297
024	HOUSTON TX	40,000	\$ 0.5384
027	POMONA CA	40,000	\$ 0.5649
028	SACRAMENTO CA	40,000	\$ 0.5724
029	LAS VEGAS NV	20,000	\$ 0.5724
	RENO NV	20,000	\$ 0.5724

TOTAL AWARDED: 720,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: TYSON FOODS, INC.  
PLANT ADDRESS : DARDANELLE AR

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
023	GRAND PRAIRIE TX	40,000	\$ 0.5375
024	HOUSTON TX	40,000	\$ 0.5375
026	SAN ANTONIO TX	80,000	\$ 0.5375

PLANT ADDRESS : CARTHAGE TX

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
021	AMARILLO TX	15,400	\$ 0.5350
	GRAND PRAIRIE TX	24,600	\$ 0.5350
022	EL PASO TX	40,000	\$ 0.5350
023	GRAND PRAIRIE TX	40,000	\$ 0.5350
025	SAN ANGELO TX	40,000	\$ 0.5350

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CONTRACTOR NAME: TYSON FOODS, INC.  
PLANT ADDRESS : PINE BLUFF AR

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
024	HOUSTON TX	160,000	\$ 0.5325

PLANT ADDRESS : FOREST MS

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
014	MOBILE AL	22,600	\$ 0.5375
	WINTER HAVEN FL	17,400	\$ 0.5375
015	MIAMI PLANTATIO FL	40,000	\$ 0.5375
019	MEMPHIS TN	40,000	\$ 0.5325

PLANT ADDRESS : BERLIN MD

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
001	EAST HARTFORD CT	40,000	\$ 0.5375
002	YANTIC CT	40,000	\$ 0.5375

TOTAL AWARDED: 680,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: VINELAND KOSHER POULTRY, INC.  
PLANT ADDRESS : VINELAND NJ

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
005	BROOKLYN NY	40,000	\$ 0.5495

TOTAL AWARDED: 40,000

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY259  
 COMM GROUP : CHICKEN, FROZEN  
 INVITATION : 009  
 COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, BREADED COOKED FZN CP  
 PACK SIZE : 30 LB CONTAINER

CONTRACTOR NAME: CONAGRA POULTRY COMPANY  
 PLANT ADDRESS : BATESVILLE AR

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
034	NEWARK NJ	39,000	\$ 1.3349
040	ALTOONA PA	39,000	\$ 1.3279
044	JACKSON MS	39,000	\$ 1.3249
045	LITTLE ROCK AR	39,000	\$ 1.3200
046	NATIONAL CITY CA	39,000	\$ 1.3497
047	LONG BEACH CA	21,000	\$ 1.3547
	NATIONAL CITY CA	18,000	\$ 1.3547
048	POMONA CA	78,000	\$ 1.3497
049	SACRAMENTO CA	39,000	\$ 1.3497

TOTAL AWARDED: 351,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: FIELD DALE FARMS CORP  
 PLANT ADDRESS : CORNELIA GA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
030	BROCKTON MA	39,000	\$ 1.3330
031	NATICK MA	39,000	\$ 1.3330
032	SPRINGFIELD MA	39,000	\$ 1.3330
033	AUGUSTA ME	39,000	\$ 1.3399
035	AUBURN NY	39,000	\$ 1.3330
036	CHEEKTOWAGA NY	39,000	\$ 1.3330
037	GUILDERLAND NY	39,000	\$ 1.3330
038	HOLLEY NY	19,500	\$ 1.3360
	MALONE NY	19,500	\$ 1.3360
039	CRANSTON RI	39,000	\$ 1.3330
041	SUNBURY PA	39,000	\$ 1.3230

TOTAL AWARDED: 390,000

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CONTRACTOR NAME: TYSON FOODS, INC.  
PLANT ADDRESS : PINE BLUFF AR

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
042	ALEXANDER CITY AL	17,730	\$ 1.3325
	BIRMINGHAM AL	21,270	\$ 1.3325
043	BATESVILLE MS	20,280	\$ 1.3325
	LEBANON TN	18,720	\$ 1.3325

TOTAL AWARDED: 78,000

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK SM  
PACK SIZE : 2 1/2 - 3 3/4 LB BULK PACK

CONTRACTOR NAME: GOLD KIST POULTRY CO.  
PLANT ADDRESS : ATHENS GA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
052	PINE BLUFF AR	108,000	\$ 0.4389

PLANT ADDRESS : SUMTER SC

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
053	SUMTER SC	216,000	\$ 0.4349

TOTAL AWARDED: 324,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: TYSON FOODS, INC.  
PLANT ADDRESS : WALDRON AR

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
051	HICKORY KY	36,000	\$ 0.4175

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 COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK SM  
 PACK SIZE : 2 1/2 - 3 3/4 LB BULK PACK

CONTRACTOR NAME: TYSON FOODS, INC.  
 PLANT ADDRESS : CARTHAGE TX

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
050	ROME GA	216,000	\$ 0.4175
051	HICKORY KY	72,000	\$ 0.4175

PLANT ADDRESS : BERLIN MD

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
053	SUMTER SC	72,000	\$ 0.4650

TOTAL AWARDED: 396,000

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK LG  
 PACK SIZE : OVER 3.75 LB BULK PACK

CONTRACTOR NAME: CONAGRA POULTRY COMPANY  
 PLANT ADDRESS : CLINTON AR

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
054	ROME GA	360,000	\$ 0.4431
056	GAINESVILLE GA	288,000	\$ 0.4438
057	CHATTANOOGA TN	36,000	\$ 0.4438
058	CHATTANOOGA TN	216,000	\$ 0.4399

\*See note.

TOTAL AWARDED: 900,000

**\*Note:** No weight variation will be allowed for purchase units under this item number. Any purchase unit weighing less than 36,000 pounds will be rejected.

CONTRACTOR NAME: GOLD KIST POULTRY CO.  
 PLANT ADDRESS : DOUGLAS GA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
054	ROME GA	36,000	\$ 0.4431
055	BOAZ AL	252,000	\$ 0.4429

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 PACK SIZE : OVER 3.75 LB BULK PACK

CONTRACTOR NAME: GOLD KIST POULTRY CO.  
 PLANT ADDRESS : BOAZ AL

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
055	BOAZ AL	1,800,000	\$ 0.4429

TOTAL AWARDED: 2,088,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: GOLD'N PLUMP  
 PLANT ADDRESS : COLD SPRING MN

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
057	CHATTANOOGA TN	108,000	\$ 0.4335 *See note.

TOTAL AWARDED: 108,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: TYSON FOODS, INC.  
 PLANT ADDRESS : NEW HOLLAND PA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
059	NEW HOLLAND PA	1,584,000	\$ 0.4431 *See note.

PLANT ADDRESS : BUENA VISTA GA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
054	ROME GA	72,000	\$ 0.4275

TOTAL AWARDED: 1,656,000

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 INVITATION : 009  
 COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, CHILLED, THIGHS  
 PACK SIZE : BULK PACK

CONTRACTOR NAME: TYSON FOODS, INC.  
 PLANT ADDRESS : WALDRON AR

ITEM NUM	----DESTINATION---- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
060	PINE BLUFF AR	72,000	\$ 0.2175

TOTAL AWARDED: 72,000

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